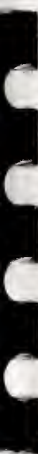


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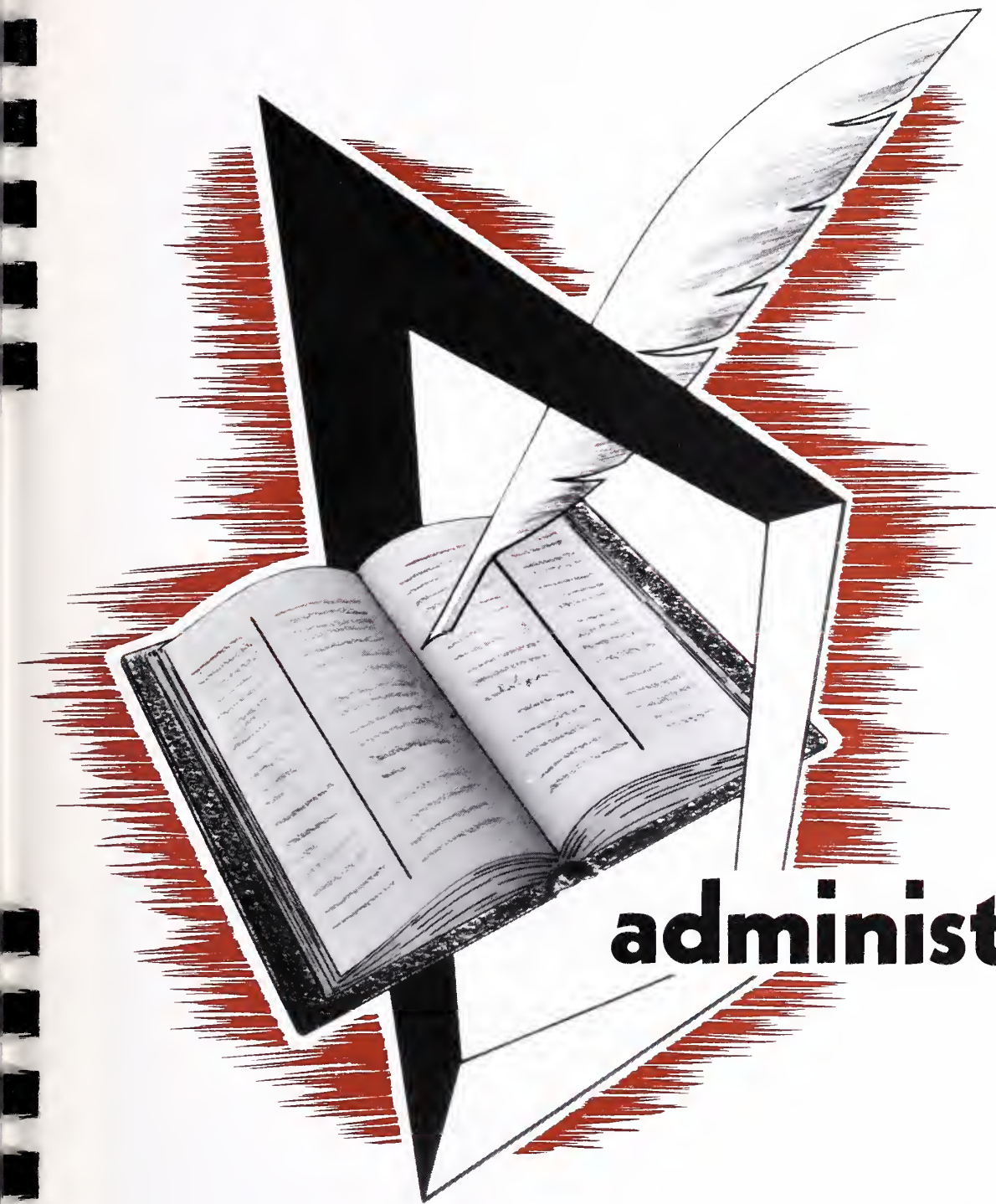
Mr. George A. Lankford

In appreciation and recognition of his character, personality, influence, and leadership, the faculty and students of the Capron Elementary School pay tribute to the memory of Mr. George A. Lankford, Sr., who died on June 23, 1951.

As a member of the School Board for over a quarter of a century, his work for the promotion of education in Southampton County was outstanding.

His service exemplified at all times the highest ideals of integrity and unselfish devotion to duty.

No one ever gave himself more untiringly for what he thought was right than Mr. Lankford.



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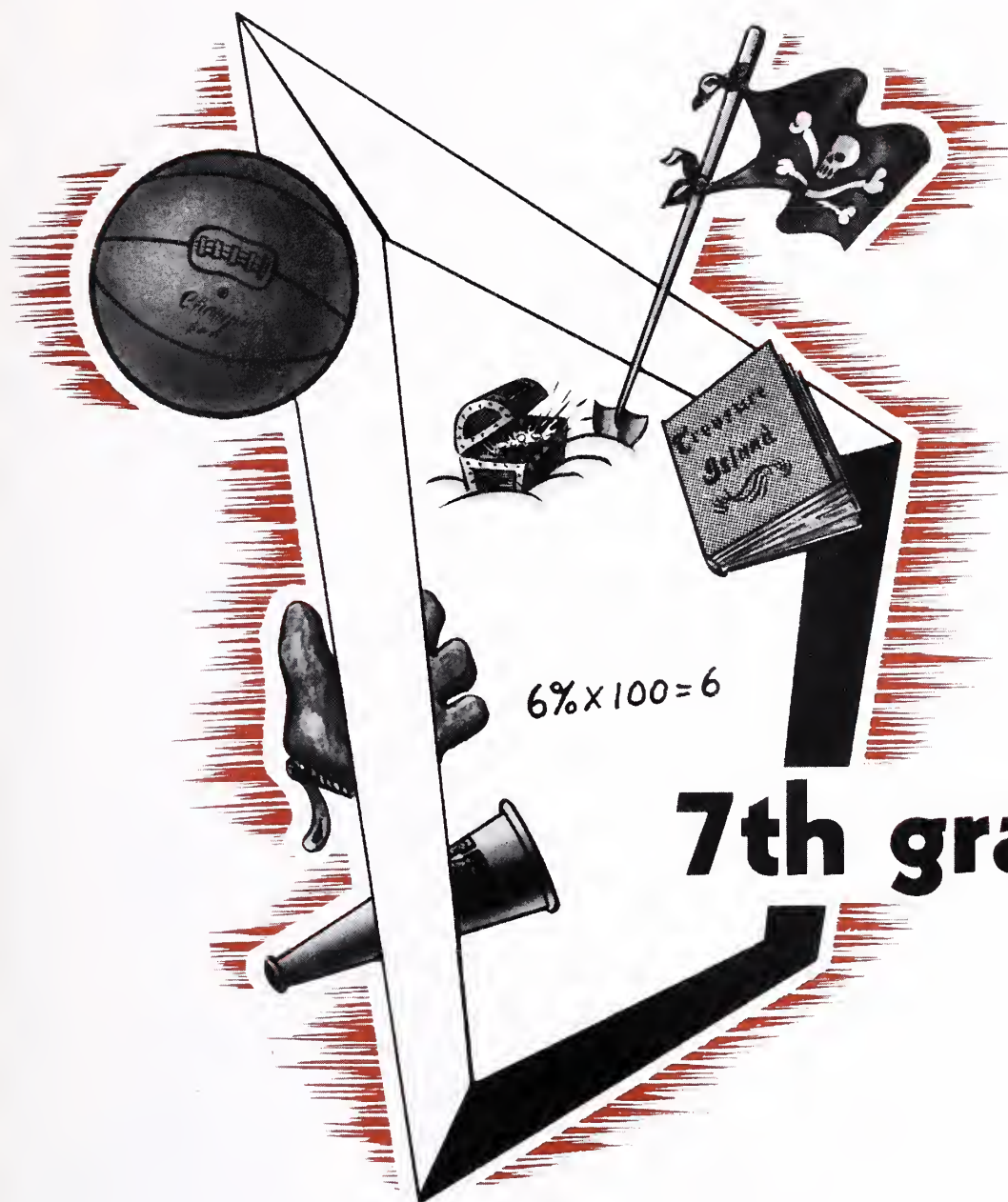


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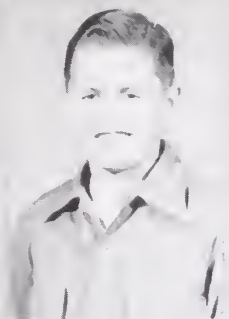
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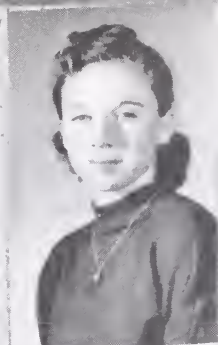
7th grade



Jackie
Applewhite



Barbara
Crichton



Natalie
Johnson



Helen
Kume



James M.
Nicholson



Marjorie
Parham



Dorothy
Underwood



You Name These Seventh Graders



RECOLLECTIONS

Reviewing seven years of our life at Capron Elementary School, we realize that these have not been ordinary years.

In September, 1946 we entered Miss Story's classroom. We wonder now how she could have been so patient with us when we were learning to read and write. It was lots of fun to play in the rhythm band, and we felt very important when we made our first public appearance.

Miss Story was also our second grade teacher.

Miss Grant, now Mrs. P. W. Smith, was our third and fourth grade teacher. We shall never forget her interesting Story Hour immediately after recess every day, and how much we enjoyed the plays she directed.

In the fifth grade Mrs. De Loatche was our teacher. With Mrs. De Loatche as our sponsor, we enjoyed all the activities of the S. C. A. We learned how to conduct meetings and how to get up programs of our own.

In the sixth grade our classes were divided between Mrs. De Loatche and Miss Matthews.

We were with Miss Matthews again in the seventh grade.

Mrs. Simmons, our librarian, organized a Library Club early in the session, and we really

enjoyed it. Once every month we had a special program and refreshments were served. We decided to buy a nice Bible to leave to the school as a little reminder of us.

Seven years - each of which holds a wealth of memories.

Not only do the big things count, but there were the hundred little things - the baseball games, the softball games, the picnics, the parties, and we shall never forget how James Manning added excitement to our Williamsburg-Jamestown trip by falling into the James river.

We loved every moment in school and we liked our teachers. We always knew they were with us and for us.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

I, James Manning Nicholson, will to Carolyn Burgess my wavy hair.

I, Barbara Crichton, will to Linda Worrell some of my height.

I, Marjorie Parham, will to my sister, Phyllis, my entire "interest" in percentage problems.

I, Helen Kume, will to Marie Francis my seventh grade desk with one for M. J. close by.

I, Dorothy Underwood, will to my sister, Patricia, the books I have loved so well.

I, Jackie Applewhite, will to M. J. my ability to spell.

I, Natalie Johnson, will to Frances Chesson my tap-dancing shoes.

We, all of us, will to Mrs. Simmons volumes and volumes of books.

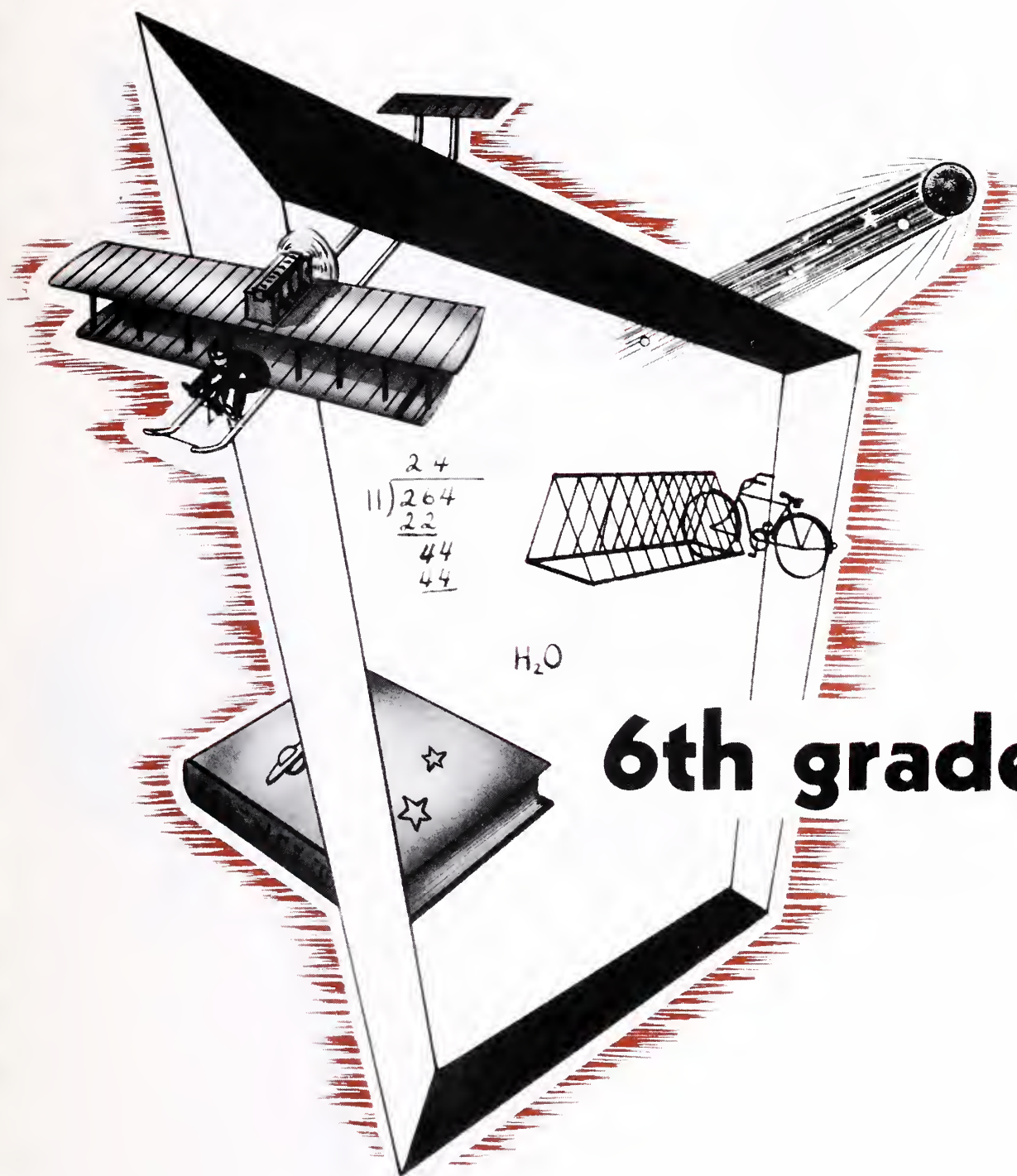
We will to Miss Story lots of music.

We will to Mrs. P. W. Smith a real "Atomic Blonde".

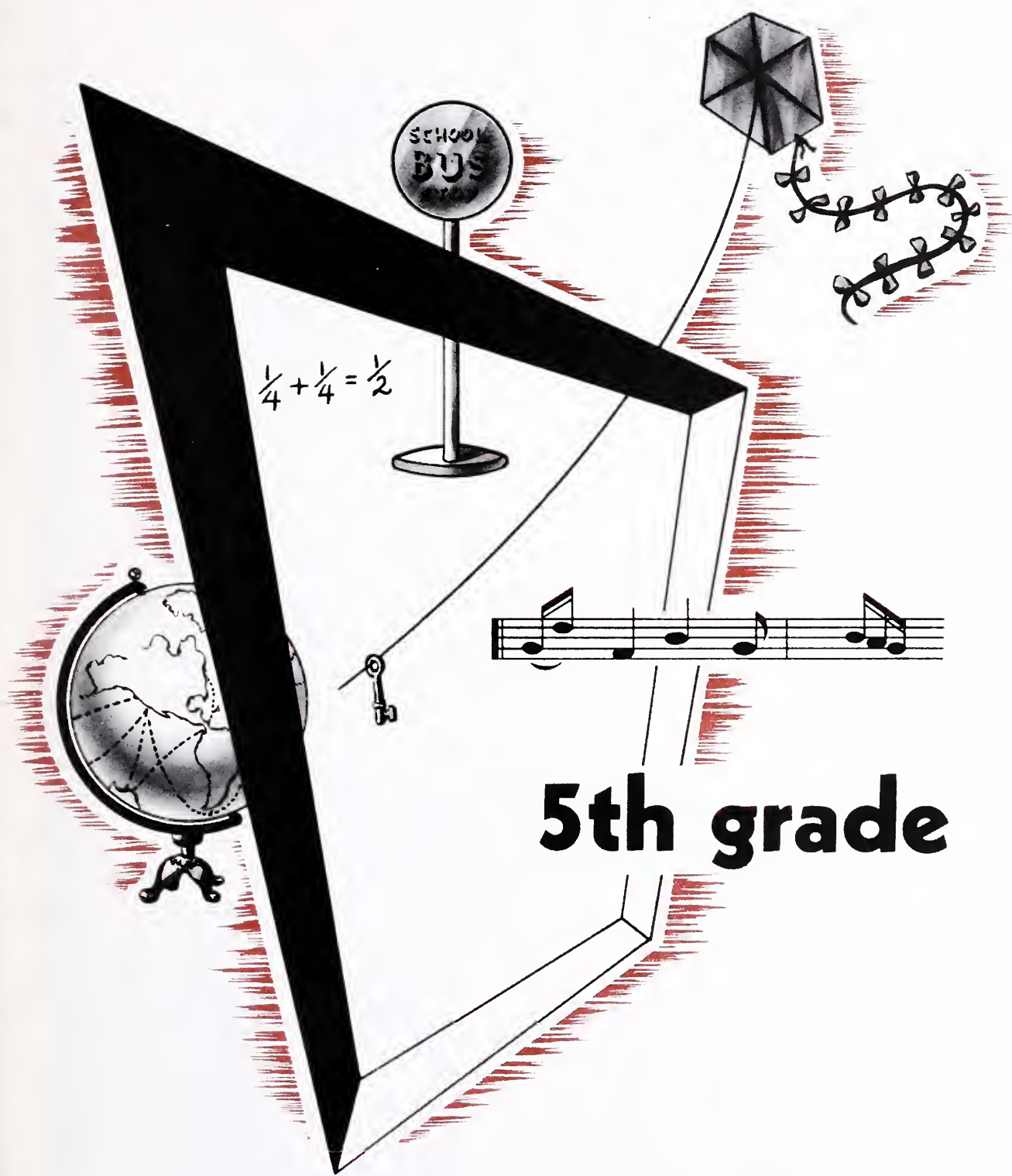
We will to Mrs. De Loatch continued success in her S. C. A. work.

We will to Mrs. Scarborough a group of children who like to eat.

We will to Miss Matthews some boys and girls who do NOT chew gum.



6th grade



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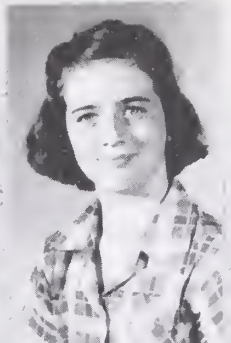
5th grade



Regie
Vaughan



Wayne
Burgess



Nancy James
Crichton



Bobby
Francis



Leroy
Jarratt



Seay
Griffin



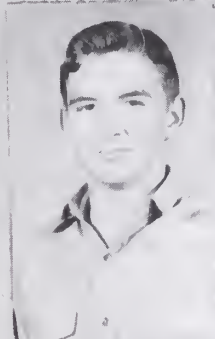
Leo
Johnson



Alice Lee
Lamb



Russell
Parham



M.J. Banty



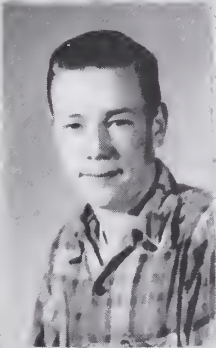
Marie
Francis



Herman
Jarratt



Calvin
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Randolph
Jarratt



Phyllis
Parham



Elmer
Thompson

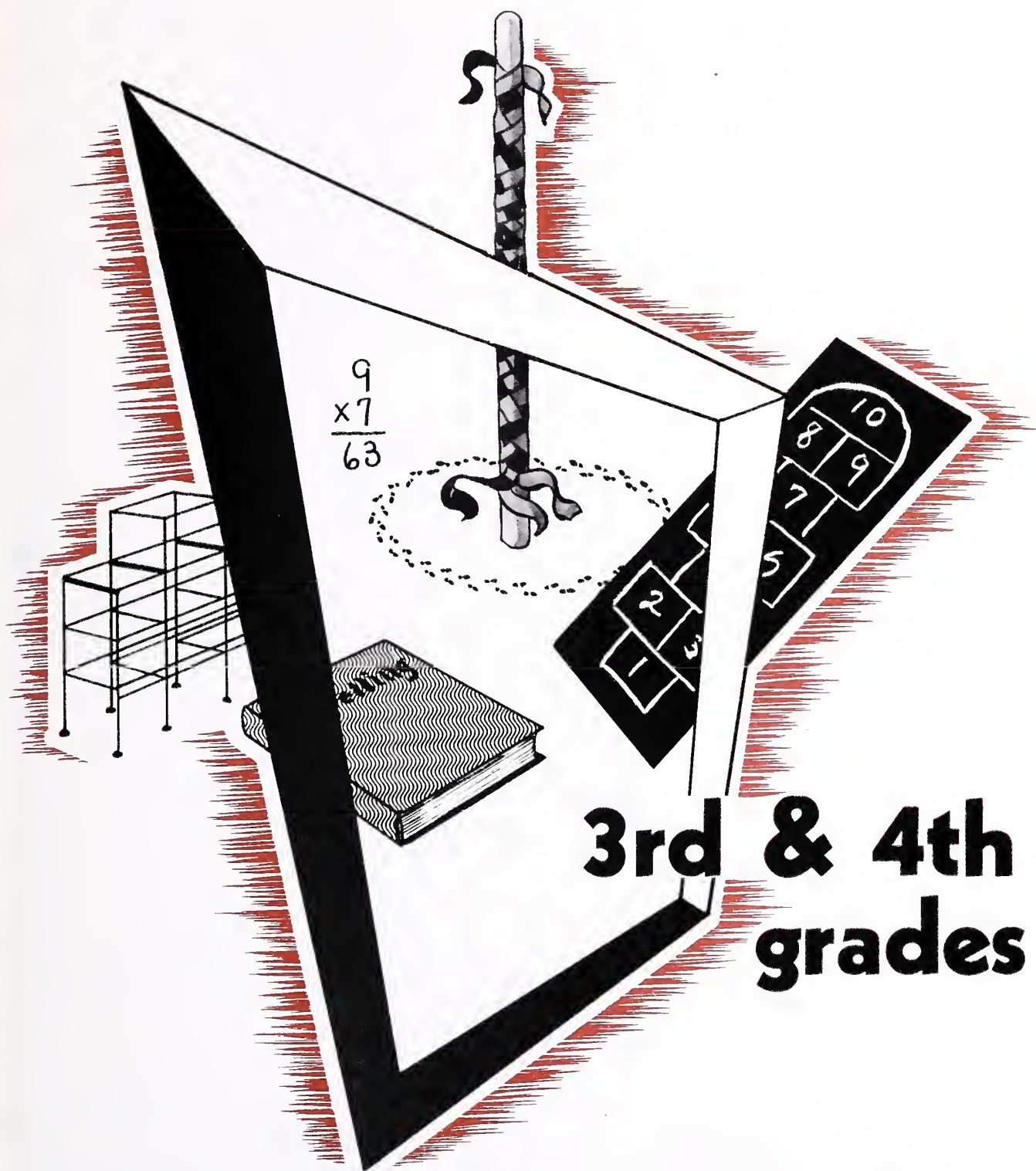


Patricia
Underwood



Sheldon
Worrell





**3rd & 4th
grades**



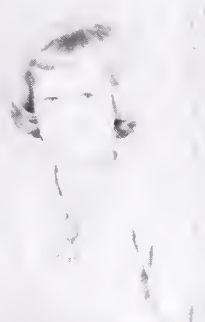
Carolyn
Burgess



Frances
Chesson



Rosa Lee
Francis



Linda
Parham



Lib
Rawlings



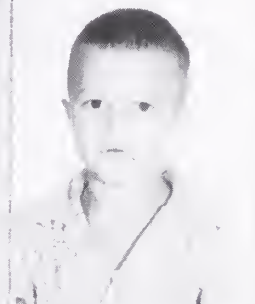
Gracie
Griffin



Jane Hardy
Crichton



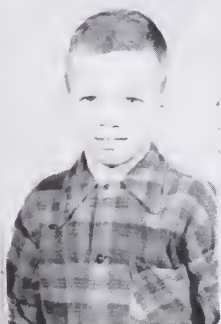
Betty Lou
Johnson



Woodie
Marks



Donnie
Little



Clyde
Marks



David
Nameth



Richard
Parham



Ronnie
Griffin



Carey Lankford

A Third Grade
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North Africa.



**1st & 2nd
grades**



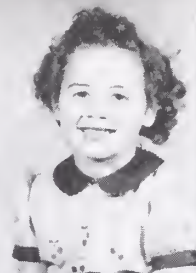
Sandra
Felton



Raymond
Francis



Johnnie
Gregory



Mary Jo
Laughter



Dorothy
Parham



James
Pope



Rebecca
Thompson

FIRST
GRADE



Howard
Vick



Linda
Worrell



Bobby
Cole



Carole Ann
Gillette



Ann
Gregory



Elaine
Gyoker



Jimmie
Gyoker



Marie
Jarratt

SECOND GRADE



Sterling
Marks



Wayne P.
Marks



Judith Parham



Johnny
Rawls



Darden W.
Vaughan



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Work Period

First And Second Grades



Christmas 1952 - First And Second Grades Classroom







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Capron Elementary School

WHO'S WHO

Most thoughtful-----	Rosa Lee Francis
Most forgetful-----	Donnie Little
Most business-like-----	Sheldon Worrell
Most reserved-----	Jimmie Gyoker
Wittiest-----	Jackie Applewhite
Hardest worker-----	Phyllis Parham
Biggest question box-----	Clyde Marks
Most athletic-----	Woodie Marks
Most likely to succeed-----	Rebecca Thompson
Most indifferent-----	Russell Parham
	Randolph Jarratt
Laziest-----	Leo Johnson
Prettiest girl-----	Jane Hardy Crichton
Handsome boy-----	James Pope
	James M. Nicholson
Girl with prettiest hair-----	Betty Lou Johnson
Most airy-----	Linda Parham
Most unconcerned-----	Howard Vick
Most studious-----	Dorothy Underwood
	Judy Parham

Girls

Best sport-----	Marjorie Parham
Most friendly-----	Lib Rawlings
Best all-round-----	Natalie Johnson
	Nancy J. Crichton
Most popular-----	Barbara Crichton
	Frances Chesson
Neatest-----	Alice Lee Lamb
Best disposition-----	Helen Kume
	Carolyn Burgess
Best dressed-----	Carole Ann Gillette

WHO'S WHO

Cutest-----	Mary Jo Laughter
	Sandra Felton
Biggest eater-----	Elaine Gyoker
Biggest talker-----	Linda Worrell
Most happy-go-lucky-----	Patricia Underwood
Quietest-----	Dot Parham
Most polite-----	Ann Gregory
Biggest flirt-----	Marie Francis
Most reasonable-----	Marie Jarrett
Greatest reader-----	Gracie Griffin

Boys

Best sport-----	Lee Roy Jarratt
Most friendly-----	David Nemeth
Best all-round-----	Wayne Burgess
	Reginald Vaughan
Most popular-----	Elmer Thompson
	Ronnie Griffin
Neatest-----	Bobby Cole
Best disposition-----	M. J. Banty
Best dressed-----	Johnny Rawls
Cutest-----	Sterling Marks
	Richard Parham
Biggest eater-----	Herman Jarratt
Biggest talker-----	Bobby Francis
Most happy-go-lucky-----	Raymond Francis
Quietest-----	Calvin Griffin
Most polite-----	Johnnie Gregory
Biggest flirt-----	Darden W. Vaughan
Most reasonable-----	Wayne Marks
Greatest reader-----	Seay Griffin
The most ardent lover of Capron School-----	Bobby Holland



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The Parent-Teacher Association



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 Vice Pres.- Miss Pearl D. Matthews
 Sec. Treas. Mrs. E.B. DeLoatche



4-H Club
 Pres. Marie Francis - Sec. Treas. Natalie Johnson
 Vice Pres. Barbara Crichton - Reporter Dorothy Underwood
 Sponsor - Mrs. Diana Bradshaw





Christmas Openetta Cast ~-1952~



5-Pointens as of January 1, 1953 ~-



Soloist

James M.
Nicholson

Capron Quartet

Richard
Parham
Clyde
Marks
Darden W.
Vaughan
Sterling
Marks





Winners Piano Contest

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Second Place

Stanley Starke

Third Place

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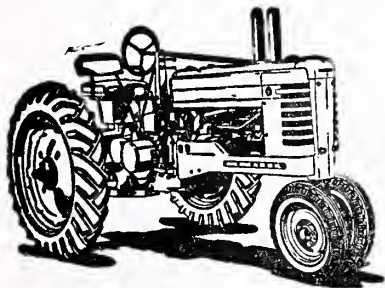
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